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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136

Commissioner for Patents Art Unit2779 Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In the Office Action dated September 13, 2000, a shortened period for response was set to expire on December 13, 2000.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner for a three month extension of time for responding to the Office Action up to and including March 13, 2001.

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The amount of the petition fee set by 37 C.F.R. §1.17 is determined as follows:

3 Month Fee

\$890.00

The TOTAL PETITION FEE is included with the payment of other papers filed together with this petition.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 06-1325. A duplicate copy of this authorization is enclosed.

The other papers enclosed or associated with this communication include:

X A Notice of Appeal Under 37 C.F.R. §1.191.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: _March 13, 2001

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